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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Tetsuro ASHIDA Conf.: 9804  
Appl. No.: 09/492,382 Group: 2612  
Filed: January 27, 2000 Examiner: John VILLECCO  
For: IMAGE CAPTURING APPARATUS AND AUTOMATIC  
EXPOSURE CONTROL CORRECTING METHOD

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December 30, 2003

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<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM						\$290	\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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In reply to the Office Action dated September 30, 2003, the following  
remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified  
application.

This reply includes: Remarks.